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**BIRTHS.**  
HORN—March 5, 1889, Blackheath, Hill, London, the wife of Mr. Ernest Horn, of a son.  
MRS. HORN—Resident, Faversham, Kent, John Edward, Ashford, the wife of William Green, son of a son.  
HORN—April 16, at Doncaster, Green-sands, Bend, the wife of S. Horace Green, of a daughter.  
WILLIAMS—April 16, at his residence, Chipping Villa, Tipton, Staffs, Mr. George Williams, eldest son of the late Lewis Stanley Barnes, of Liverpool's Royal Exchange.  
**MARRIAGES.**

PARNELL—BURNARD.—April 16, 1889, at St. Michael's Church, Vauxhall, the Rev. Mr. J. Burnard, Vicar, and Mrs. Burnard, the wife of William Green-sands, Bend, the wife of S. Horace Green, of a daughter.

LEWIS—April 16, at his residence, Chipping Villa, Tipton, Staffs, Mr. George Williams, eldest son of the late Lewis Stanley Barnes, of Liverpool's Royal Exchange.

**Deaths.**

ANDERSON.—April 14, at Little Bay Hospital, Charles Anderson, single bachelor, son of Robert and Sarah Anderson, aged 21 years. Buried by all who knew her.

BASINGTHWAITE.—April 14, at her residence, Willow Street, Westgate-on-Sea, Mrs. Emily Daley, second daughter of the late Mr. and Mrs. Basingthwaite.

DALY.—April 14, at his son's residence, 21, Goodhope-street, Westgate-on-Sea, Mrs. Emily Daley, second daughter of the late Mr. and Mrs. Basingthwaite.

EVANS.—April 16, 1889, at his residence, Park Pipe-road, Westgate, Harry Griffith Evans, late of Upton Park, New South Wales, son of the late Mr. Griffith Evans, of Caversham, North Wales, in his first year. Name please give.

FRITH.—April 16, at his parents' residence, Arthur Ernest, son of James and Mary Ann Frith, aged 3 years and 10 months, after a severe illness.

WILLIAMS—April 16, at his son's residence, Darlington, Arthur Alan Williams, aged 16 months and 8 days.

In Memoriam.

BRENNAN.—In loving memory of my dear father, Michael Brennan, who died April 16, 1887. Inerted by his loving son, John.

COLLINS.—In fond memory of my dear mother, Mrs. Collins, who died at Orange April 16, 1889, aged 71 years.

HENKETT.—In God's love and memory of my dear father, Richard Henkett, who departed this life at his residence, 10, Henkett's Creek on the 17th April, 1889, aged 61 years, by his loving daughter, Eliza, R. P. Henkett.

MURRAY.—In loving memory of our dear father, David Murray, 72, who died with his wife, Mrs. Murray, at their home, Paddington-street, Paddington, April 17, 1889.

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TREASURER IN AUSTRALIA

MILDURA.

(BY OUR SPECIAL REPORTER.)

II.

Did you see, Mildura? I have been so often asked by this question during the last month that I determined to take this the earliest opportunity of answering it. One of the principal, and indeed, coach fare and other expenses considered, I may say the "dearest" object of my trip along the Murray was to visit the great irrigation colonies established in Australia by the Chaffey Brothers. For three years the name and fame of these wondrous men have been dawning my ears and dazzling my vision. At first we knew that they were likely to come when we knew that their agent and confidential adviser—Mr. Curzon had really arrived, and was travelling through Australia. Next came the one brother, and when the journalists were interviewing him another came to the scene. George Chaffey was in a top-hat, a plough or a hay press, the reporter of some of the Victorian journals was bound to be at hand before the bargaining had concluded. Then came the news that the Chaffey had made the Victoria Government an offer for some land, and that the Government had accepted such offer. Legislation followed, and some M.A.L.A., who did not agree with the Government, set up their backs, and stonewalled the proposed contract. This fact was telegraphed throughout all Australia, and to many other lands. At length the agreement was signed, the date being sometime in May, 1887, and of course this result was widely publicised. Thus it will be seen that the negotiations under conditions of strict secrecy, were peculiarly favourable. Even a baronial would be satisfied with such a set-off. I feel confident the Chaffey Brothers were. All that newspaper could do had been done for them, and they skippered up to Mildura with light hearts and, I suppose, heavy bank balances.

There are two questions which have been puzzling me: one is why did the Chaffey skip so far away? And the other, what were the Chaffey's? With regard to the first, I fail to see why an extreme point should be selected for operations when there were throughout Australia hundreds of sites equally favoured by nature, and much nearer central markets and sea ports. If water were the controlling circumstance, there were many parts between Wedderburn and Echuca on the Murray which could easily be purchased, or turning to this colony the Marumbeengides or some of the northern rivers on the tablelands or coast would have furnished many large blocks suitable for an irrigation settlement. None of these little ventures, however, attracted the Chaffey Brothers. They wished to do something bold, something like what they had done in Southern California, in the shape of the Ontario colony, which was that a large block of land was bought at a low price, and that after certain improvements had been effected it was cut up into little blocks, and sold at high prices.

When placed on the solid bottom of ordinary business, and benefit of all sentiment, the colonising business as pursued in California, and in Tasmania, and Mildura appears to be a good deal removed from any ordinary land speculation. A syndicate or company purchases a large block of land in some out-of-the-way locality, and by either making a railway or promulgating a tramway, or doing something else succeeds in convincing citizens that the new estate is just the place for suburban residences. The land sales, and the speculators—purchasers of the block—divide the profits. What the Messrs. Chaffey Brothers, now Chaffey Brothers, Limited, are doing is bringing water to certain heights, so that irrigation may be performed, and certain crops grown. In return for this they are receiving from £15 to £100 per acre for land which cost them from nothing to £1 per acre. One of their advertisements states that the water-right secured by the Chaffey Brothers to the Murray is the best in the world." One of their shareholders says, "There is no question that the Chaffey's made a splendid bargain, but their success was not undeserved." What I say is that the Chaffey's, as I saw them at Mildura, are a pair of hard-working, enterprising, honest, young men who having made two successful speculations in irrigating colonies during the short space of eight years or so, are now engaged in a third. They bought and sold in America and now they are here to do the same thing in Australia.

They know that there are at all times knocking about the world hundreds of men who are strong in their administration of enterprises who are troubled with a longing to do something which is unusual and leader-like. They are of the same temperament as the gold-seekers, who in the fifties and sixties, traversed Australia almost from end to end. The prospector went out in the wilderness, found a few specks of gold, reported the find, and at once found thousands of followers. They left their desks their workshops, and their families. Rush followed rush, but there have been very few goldfields of late. The restless ones of the world have no fields wherein to expand their energy, but Mildura and Hammark are to the fore, and came thither at an opportune time. The Chaffey Brothers have many brave followers, and are selling their lands in a way which should be highly satisfactory to themselves and those who are associated with them. I mention these things because I wish to start a brief description of what I expect to say has pattered many of the accounts which I have read. In all my long and varied experience, I have never met with a diggings over which there has been more nonsense written and published than this immense speculation on the Murray. Knowing this, I enter on the business fearlessly. I can't possibly make statements wilder and wider of the truth than those which have appeared, and a reflection of that kind gives a writer some courage.

Mildura is in the heart of what is known as the mallee country, of which there are immense tracts along both sides of the Murray River. The distance of the settlement from Melbourne, in a straight line, is about 500 miles. The nearest railway station is Kurang, distant about two days' coaching. Probably the rail distance from Melbourne to Mildura will be between 350 and 400 miles. There are always hopes of a railway.

Mildura was occupied first in 1846, and it was fairly successful as a sheep station for 30 years, until the rabbits came and took possession. When the river is low and traffic impossible, the trip to this part of Victoria is not remarkably pleasant. Whether you go via Victoria or south Australia there are two days coaching to perform. When the river is up, which is the case more than half of the year, the travelling can be done by steamer, of which there are several trading steamers, who make a trip to Mildura. A coach and rail trip to Adelaide from Mildura necessitates about 2½ days. It is slightly sharper to Melbourne. Regarding freight to Adelaide, it is probable that when large cargoes are sent it would be about 20c. per ton, the run being about 500 miles. This, however, is a low quotation. The toll for the greater part is a light red loam, almost a sand, of which there is from 50 to 100m. resting on beds of nodular limestone. Near the river there are large gulls and a few flooded flats, but at a short distance from the banks of the river the ordinary scrub country commences, with its belt of mallee, and clear spaces covered by blue bush. The river is about 50 yards wide, and the bank on the Mildura side from 15 to 50 feet high. To this the country gradually slopes, the highest level being about 80ft. The agreement from the Victorian Government is that Messrs. Chaffey receive a grant of 50,000 acres on the Lower Murray and the right to purchase the adjoining land to the extent of 300,000 acres additional for the sum of 20c. per acre; the conditions being that the Chaffey's are to establish an irrigation settlement on a portion of the land it is proposed to grant, and to effect useful and permanent improvements upon it in the shape of irrigation canals, pumping machinery, roads, bridges, and

other necessary works, to the value of £600,000, within 20 years. They are also to erect an agricultural college, which shall be endowed with a large area of land (one-fifth of the total acreage), and they are to take steps to clear all vermin off the property. In settling the land, the purchasing power of any one person is to be limited to 80 acres for fruit-growing, and to 100 acres for other products, and water facilities are to be allowed to all settlers for a fair consideration. The Chaffey Brothers are to lease the establishments of fruitdrying and canning factories and other kindred industries, and they are not to retain in their own or their agents' possession more than 5000 acres of cultivated and irrigated land at any time. If they do, they are to sell the land to the Government for the amount of the original investment, plus interest, and the proceeds to be used for the purchase of any one person's land to be limited to 80 acres for fruit-growing, and to 100 acres for other products, and water facilities are to be allowed to all settlers for a fair consideration. The Chaffey Brothers are to lease the establishments of fruitdrying and canning factories and other kindred industries, and they are not to retain in their own or their agents' possession more than 5000 acres of cultivated and irrigated land at any time. If they do, they are to sell the land to the Government for the amount of the original investment, plus interest, and the proceeds to be used for the purchase of any one person's land to be limited to 80 acres for fruit-growing, and to 100 acres for other products, and water facilities are to be allowed to all settlers for a fair consideration. 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There are seven questions on the business paper of the Legislative Council for to-day, after which come the following orders of the day in Government business:—Land, Crop, and Stock Returns Bill, to be further considered in committee; Newcastle Harbour Reserve Bill, second reading; Newcastle Harbour Improvement Bill, third reading; Inter-colonial Debts Bill, second reading; Dr. Bowker's Bill, second reading; Dr. Bowker has given notice that he will move for leave to bring in a Medical Bill; and the second reading of the Rivers Pollution Bill stands as an order of the day in general business.

The preliminary and formal business of the Legislative Assembly yesterday took up but little time. The questions, with or without motion, were soon disposed of, some petitions were presented, and several orders of the day were passed, and agreed to. Mr. Abbott's motion for referring the Standing Orders to the Standing Orders Committee was agreed to, and then Mr. Hurley moved the second reading of the Ministerial Elections Bill, the object of which is to prevent the necessity of members who accept office going before their constituents for re-election. A long discussion took place, and the second reading of the bill was agreed to on a division of 40 to 25. The House then went into committee to consider the bill in detail; Sir Henry Parkes, who had opposed the bill, although some of the other members of the Government had supported it, now asked that its further consideration should be postponed. Another long debate took place on this question, with the result that the postponement was finally agreed to.

The second order of the day in the Legislative Assembly yesterday—the second reading of the Church of England Property Bill—was postponed, and the House proceeded to discuss the Wesleyan Methodist Church Property Trust Bill, the second reading of which was agreed to after a short discussion. The bill was taken through committee without amendment, reported to the House, and the report was adopted. It now being eight minutes past 11 o'clock, no new business could be taken, under the recent resolution, and the House at once adjourned.

Sir Henry Parkes has given notice that he will move in the Legislative Assembly to-day—"That the House at its rising stand adjourned until Wednesday next," for the Easter holidays. The Executive Council, which met under the Presidency of His Excellency the Governor, had under consideration yesterday the question of granting an extension of time to the Royal Commission appointed to inquire into the affairs of the Colonial Labour Board. The Commission, which consists of Mr. J. Gore, M.A., president, Mr. F. A. Franklin, and Mr. F. Walker, received the notification of their appointment on the 22nd February last. They held their first meeting on Monday, February 25. Since that time the inquiry has been prosecuted with the utmost diligence; at the outset there were necessarily some little delay. Books, records, and documents relating to the Board were scattered in various departments—some in the Colonial Secretary's office, some in the Treasury, some in the office of the Casual Labour Board, and some in the district offices of the Board. On account of time, and other difficulties, it was the 11th March before the examination of witnesses was commenced. Since that time the Commission, after sitting three and four hours a week, and the average duration of the sittings has been between five and six hours. Upwards of 40 witnesses have been examined, and the bulk of the evidence that will probably be found useful and necessary in connection with one branch of the inquiry—that relating to the working of the Board—has been taken. The Commission have also spent a considerable amount of time in investigating the accounts of the Board during the 20 months of its existence. There are nearly 30 more witnesses to be examined in connection with other branches of the inquiry, and a good deal of work has yet to be done in connection with the documents and papers. In support of the application for an extension the Commission pointed out that it was highly expedient and desirable, as well in the public interest as in the interests of justice to several persons who are affected, that sufficient time should be allowed to enable them to complete the inquiry. The extension asked for was two months. The Executive decided to grant an extension of one month, reserving to themselves the right of allowing an extension of another month should it be deemed necessary.

A MEETING of the Executive Council was held yesterday, under the presidency of His Excellency the Governor. Mr. B. Lee, police magistrate, Bathurst, was appointed a stipendiary magistrate, to sit at the Water Police Court in the place of Mr. G. M. Marsh, who is retiring from the service in accordance with the provisions of the Civil Service Act. The public holidays were approved.—Wages: Phoenix, Mama, and Belmont, Thursday, the 23rd instant; November, Thursday, May 2nd; and Cooma, Wednesday, the 24th instant.

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With regard to the paragraph in yesterday's issue respecting the dinner given by His Excellency the Governor to the Ministry and ex-Ministers on Friday evening last, the name of Mr. J. F. Burns, late Colonial Treasurer, was inadvertently omitted from the list of those who were present.

The second paper regarding the Murray River question, from a reporter of this journal, who has spent the last month in the irrigation districts of Victoria and South Australia, appears tomorrow in this issue. The first paper dealt with the question of the Murray River, and the author of that article should promptly take some action by which an equitable agreement regarding the utilization of the Murray waters may be arrived at. The second gives an account of Mildura, the Chaffey settlement, which is one of the most important irrigation schemes at present in progress. Successive papers will contain opinions regarding the prospects of irrigation in Australia generally.

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A man the other day reported that the barque "Scout" had struck on the 25th January, and was being demanded. The vessel in question was bound for Brisbane to Newcastle, arriving at the last-named port in August last. There she remained during the continuance of the colliers' strike, and was eventually despatched on the 22nd of December last for Portland, Oregon, by Messrs. Daigley and Co. To-day she is therefore out 116 days.

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(BY TELEGRAPH.)  
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THE PRINTERS' STRIKE IN BRISBANE.

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Several serious cases of assault on non-union men in connection with the strike in the printing trade have been reported. The Q.T.A. authorities affirm that the reports are grossly exaggerated, and that the society has always urged its members to abstain from disorder or violence of any kind. It appears, however, that a man named Reynolds working on the "Telegraph" was pelted with stones on Saturday night and was again set upon last evening, and was severely beaten but not seriously injured. The applications have adjourned, so that incidents might comply with certain directions which had already been given under the Act.

A DIFFICULTY has arisen in connection with the "unemployed," who were found work by the Government at Shear's Creek. At the commencement of the work the men received 5d. per day for piece-work, but afterwards they were put on piece-work, the amount paid to them being sixpence per yard. Yesterday morning about 200 men threw down their shovels and declined to take this, stating that at the price offered they could not make sufficient wages to keep them in food. Several of those who had refused employment went to the Works Department during the day with the object of interviewing Mr. Bruce Smith. In the absence of the Minister, they were received by the Under-Secretary, Mr. Darling, and in the course of a despatch, Mr. Bruce Smith was pointed out to them that the men really could not continue to work at the price fixed. From inquiries which have been made it would appear that the work is not of a hard or difficult character, and that there is very little solid endurance. The men have been employed in the digging of trenches and the raising of banks, and the officials of the Harbours and Rivers Department seem to think that by steady application the workmen could have earned a fair wage—an amount equivalent to the day work which they had previously been receiving. The men, on the other hand, declare that the rate offered their earnings would be less than 2s. per day of nine or 10 hours. They also state that opening the surfaces and going down about a foot is the chief work, and that the ground has been raised about 2ft. below the surface, it is simple slush. The water from the surrounding lands drains rapidly into the trenches, and in taking out the bottom to the required depth the men have been working in some instances up to their knees in mud. The work, it would appear, have not been entirely stopped. There were about 300 men employed, and about a third of these are still at work, and others are being sent out from the city to take the places of those who have declined to accept the terms offered by the Government. Mr. Darling was unable, in the Minister's absence, to give the men any assurance as to what would be done, but the question will, no doubt, be fully considered by the Government to-day. We have been informed that

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## MONETARY AND COMMERCIAL

**TUESDAY EVENING.**  
In the Stock and Share market to-day business was quiet. Assets Realization were rather lower, other quotations being without change. The following sales were reported:—At 1 o'clock: Queensland National Bank, \$1; Mont de Piété, 25s. 9d.; Anglo-Australian Investment Company, 6s.; Real Estate, 7s. At 4 o'clock: Assets Realization, 3s. 9d. Closing quotations were:—

**BANKS.**  
Buyer. Seller.  
A. J. S. — 24 —  
New, 1st called 5s. — 25 —  
N. S. Wales — 24 — 24s.  
New South Wales — 25 — 25s.  
N. Z. N.Z. rep. — 25 — 25s.  
City — 16 — 17  
Nat'l. Issue, 25 — 25 —  
Gold — 25 — 25s.  
Union — 25 — 25s.  
Commercial — 11s. 4s. — 16s. 4s.

**STEAM.**  
Balmoral Ferry 17s. — 19 —  
C. H. & R. V.'s — 17s. — 19 —  
Hunter River 16s. — 17s. — 18s.  
Port Jackson 40s. — 46 —

**INSURANCE.**  
General — 7s. — 8s.  
Am. Mut'l. — 12s. — 13s.  
Do. New Issue — 2s. — 2s.  
Industr'l. Mut. — 2s. — 2s.  
City Mutual — 1s. — 1s.

**MISCELLANEOUS.**

Aaron. Tech. — 7s. — 8s.

Assets Realization — 3s. 7s.

Auto. Gaslight — 8s. — 14s.

New — 14s.

Crane Co. — 19s. — 22s.

Wm. Bro's. — 25s. — 25s.

C. G. Finance — 1s. — 1s.

Colonial Sugar — 1s. — 2s.

Co. Finance — 1s. — 2s.

Morgan's One-  
varante — 1s. — 1s.

North Shore Gas — 1s. — 1s.

Mod. de Pisto 22s. — 25s.

Perkins' — 1s. — 1s.

Prest. Trusts — 1s. — 1s.

**LAND AND BUILDING COMPANIES.**

Anglo-East. F. — 1s. — 1s.

W. I. & I. — 2s. — 2s.

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Exeter — 2s. — 2s.

Metropolitan — 2s. — 2s.

N. S. W. Rep. — 2s. — 2s.

Sydney — 2s. — 2s.

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## LAW REPORT.

SUPREME COURT.—TUESDAY, APRIL 16.  
In Bankruptcy.—Before his Honor Mr. Justice DEFFELL.

## MR. EDWARD QUINLAN.

His Honor said that the former affidavit of the bankrupt, delivered in 1878, had not been produced; Mr. Irvine urged that there was no case to go before a jury, as under the section upon which the prosecution was based, it was provided that the accused must be given a trial by a jury, and that the accused was not entitled to have a trial by a jury, as he was not entitled to be tried by a magistrate. His Honor held that the section covered the case where persons who had their fortunes told were deluded or not; and apart from that there was evidence that one person was deluded. A son of the accused stated that her real occupation was that of pianist and letter-writer. The Judge, in summing up, pointed out that the proceedings of this kind were undertaken to protect the innocent, and that the accused was not entitled to fortify herself but because it frequently happened that such cases were closely allied to others very much worse; and the case before them there was evidence of something that the most serious offence with which the accused was charged. The jury found the accused not guilty, and she was discharged.

SENTENCE.

Michael Young, a boy, found guilty of horse-stealing, was, with his father, bound over its appearance at the next term, and the meeting was struck out. Mr. Humphrey presented another report and the application for a certificate came on for hearing on the 16th May, and was again struck out for non-attendance of the defendant. Mr. F. J. Smith, with the assistance of Mr. Durling, gave the opinion that the prisoner's lately reformed character gave him leave to petition at the end of two years, without holding out any definite hope of a remission.

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## LAW NOTICES.

John Murray, a boy, found guilty of breaking and entering into a house, was sentenced by Sydney Lyle, in view of a valuable security; David Hyatt, illegally pawned.

In this matter he had made the indenture in his affidavit that he was innocent of 30 years ago, and had never applied for his certificate as he paid his creditors in full. If he has done that it might entitle him to an order for release, but as far as I am at least as the other parties concerned, that what purpose will be the implementation of a schedule? This was a simple absurd, because inadvertencies have spent £276 1s., and that he received £193 7d., so that in all probability he had certain property which he made on the 4th April, 1876, for better particular of account. These particulars would have to be furnished by the 30th instant, and I would have to pay with the same amount of time. The charge was in action to £11, to the official assignee. Since the 17th June, 1876, when the account and plan were presented, I had entirely neglected his responsibility, and I think that that was what caused him to be the implementation of a schedule? The hearing was adjourned to the 7th May.

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RECEIPE OF ESTATES.

Mr. John Fitzgerald. On the motion of Mr. Bradley, who appeared for the plaintiff, an order was made for the release of the estate on the ground that all the creditors had been paid in full.

MR. HENRY LANDER.

On the motion of Mr. Murphy (Ward & Murphy and Co.), the defendant's estate was released from sequestration, all the proved creditors having been paid in full.

The application of William George McClure, Robert O'Neil, and Robert McGrath, Torr were struck out as the defendants did not appear.

SPECIAL FOR PROSECUTION.

Mr. Henry Hart Lazarus. The proof of debt of Fraser and Co. was admitted £273 2s. 8d.

DEGRADATION OF PETITION OF CREDITOR.

William Murphy, Esq., solicitor, Paddington, Mr. A. Morris, official assignee.

Mr. Henry Lander, of Tattersall's-chambers, Castle-rough-street, solicitor, Mr. E. M. Stephan, official assignee.

William Manley, of Nymagee, wood carter. Mr. A. Morris, official assignee.

Arthur John Lester, of Windsor-road, Petersham, carpenter. Mr. L. T. Lloyd, official assignee.

RECEIPE OF ORDER OF PETITION OF CREDITOR.

The Land Company of Australia, Limited, versus Charles Henry Hodson, Robertson-lane, of Goulburn-street; position to be heard, April 25.

DISTRICT COURT.—TUESDAY.

(Before his Honor Mr. District Court Judge WILKINSON.)

MR. GIBSON, instructed by Messrs. Cape and King, appeared for the plaintiff, and Mr. Edmunds, instructed by Mr. Mark Mitchell, for the defendant.

The plaintiff in this action was Francis Frank Law, alias James Newell, and the defendant John Gibbons, carrying on business at 146, King-street, as the "N. S. W. Trade Protective Institute." The plaintiff it was stated, was engaged as solicitor for the Newcastles, and he had been engaged to sue a man who had claimed the sum of £50 16s. 2d. for professional services rendered in that capacity. The defense was that a Newcastler agent, and that therefore the defendant was liable for the compensation claim.

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UNLAWFUL FORTUNE-TELLING.

Louis Murdoch, at ball, surrendered under an indictment for fortune-telling, at Kettering on the 26th February. Mr. Justice deffell, and the defendant, who stated that she was taken under an old Georgian statute dated 1736. The police, he stated, having received certain information about the accused, obtained the assistance of two girls, gave them £1 each, and sent them to the police station in Pitt-street and Mosman-street. The girls went to this house saw the accused, and asked her whether she was a fortune-teller. She replied yes, and invited the girls into her room. They were left alone for some time, which the girls left three times, and then told the fortunes of their visitors. One of the girls was informed that "she would go to Government-place, and see a dark man there who would offer her a large sum of money." The girls then asked if she would receive a letter with a ring in it, and she would lose a friend inside of nine days." Accused concluded her prophecy by saying "that will be a shilling." She further offered, if the girls would give her a spirit to make a small ring, she would give them a spirit to make a small ring. Accused told the girls that if they left their places they could go and live with her, and she would take them to a shop in Botany-road where she would find diamonds and gold rings, which they could get when they liked. Later on the same day the police visited accused's house to take her into custody. While they were there three girls called and enquired if she was a fortune-teller. She agreed and she was asked if she had any rings. She said she did not tell fortunes. Evidence was given in support of this story. The two girls who acted in concert with the police, under cross-examination declared that while they knew they were going to see the accused for the purpose

of getting up a case, they believed a certain portion of the fortune told them. They believed that the accused ever placed her hands on their heads, and that she had placed her hands on their chins. The Crown case concluded, Mr. Irvine urged that there was no case to go before a jury, as under the section upon which the prosecution was based, it was provided that the accused must be given a trial by a magistrate. A son of the accused stated that her real occupation was that of pianist and letter-writer. The Judge, in summing up, pointed out that the proceedings of this kind were undertaken to protect the innocent, and that the accused was not entitled to fortify herself but because it frequently happened that such cases were closely allied to others very much worse; and the case before them there was evidence of something that the most serious offence with which the accused was charged. The jury found the accused not guilty, and she was discharged.

MASTERSHIP INQUIRIES.

SUICIDE BY "ROUGH ON RATS."

A magisterial inquiry was held by Mr. W. T. Pinhey, J.P., at the Crown Hotel, yesterday, relative to the death of a woman named Maude Grant, aged 22 years, who was found dead at her lodgings, Elizabeth-street, on Saturday evening, about 10 o'clock. Mrs. Elizabeth Grant, a widow, was charged with stealing £5 16s. from the person of one J. Maxwell Campbell, 274, Pitt-street, painter, for whom she had worked for a week. She was remanded for a month.

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## Order of Sale.

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CITY PROPERTY. A HIGHLY-IMPORTANT Block  
of FREEHOLD LAND, having 111 ft.  
frontage to GEORGE-STREET W.,  
depth 200ft.

CITY PROPERTY. A COMPACT BLOCK of BUILD-  
ING LAND, situated in ENGINE-  
STREET, Land, 100 ft. x 80 ft.

COOKES. (By order of the Mort-  
gagors.) A FAMILY RESIDENCE, situated  
at the corner of ARDEN and NEP-  
TUNE STREETS. Land has 140 ft.  
frontage.

WAVERLEY. AN UNRIVALLED BUILDING  
LOT, having 100 ft. frontage to  
COOPER-STREET, depth, 100 ft.

WAVERLEY. A BLOCK of LAND, having 90 ft.  
frontage to GEORGE-STREET,  
depth, 115 ft. etc.

GLEBE POINT. A SEMI-DETACHED FAMILY  
RESIDENCE, fronting KENNEDY-  
STREET. Land, 20 x 250 ft.

CARLINGFORD. A COMPACT RESIDENTIAL  
PROPERTY, situated in RUELLIN-  
ROAD, fronting THE PENNANT MILLS-  
ROAD.

BANDWICH. (By order of the Mort-  
gagors.) Block of Land, having 22 ft.  
frontage to Power-street by a depth  
of 180ft.

ASHFIELD. BLOCK of LAND, 350 ft. frontage  
to NEW ROBERT-STREET, by  
depth of 180ft.

BEKLEY. BRICK-BUILT COTTAGE  
RESIDENCE, fronting BUCKVILLE-STREET.

AUSTRUM. (By order of the Mort-  
gagors.) BLOCK of LAND, having 90 ft.  
frontage to PARK-ROAD.

HARDIE and GORMAN, Auctioneers.

FOR VERY POSITIVE SALE.

ON ACCOUNT of the  
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GEORGE-STREET WEST,  
ENGINE-STREET, BRICKFIELD-HILL.

CARLINGFORD, PENNANT HILLS.

A HIGHLY-IMPORTANT BLOCK of FREEHOLD  
BUILDING LAND, situated and possessing a frontage of  
40 ft. to George-street West, by a depth of 100 ft. along  
GLEN-DE-PALNE, upon which old tenements are  
erected.

THIS IS A UNIQUE BLOCK of LAND, situated in a  
demi-enclosed thoroughfare, occupying a commanding  
position.

Just beyond the RAILWAY STATION,  
METROPOLITAN FIRE BRIGADE STATION,  
and the Post Office, which is well-known.

BREWERY, the property of MESSRS. TOOTH and CO., Limited.

The sale of this property specially recommends itself  
as being situated in a position where it will be  
of great value to the public, while affording a  
fine view on the main street frontage, while utilizing the  
same position for the erection of  
STORAGE ACCOMMODATION.

TITLE, FREEHOLD.

LOT 2—GEORGE-STREET WEST,  
on the MAIN THOROUGHFARE to ULTIMO.

A COMPACT BLOCK of LAND, situated and known  
as THE RAILWAY PRODUCE MARKET, 65 to 75,  
ENGINE-STREET, all 100 ft. to tenents, and erected upon  
a block of land having a frontage of 100 ft. by a depth of  
about 80ft.

THIS PROPERTY is situated adjoining FENELLI'S  
STEEL PLATE MILL, and ANTHONY BORDEN  
and CO., and just off the busy thoroughfare of GEORGE-  
STREET.

TITLE, TORRENCE.

LOT 2—CARLINGFORD, in the PENNANT HILLS  
DISTRICT, within easy drive of EASTWOOD RAILWAY STATION,  
and near the Carlingford Post-office.

A MOST COMPACT and HIGHLY ATTRACTIVE  
RESIDENTIAL PROPERTY,

situated in the PENNANT HILLS ROAD,  
commanding an elevated but unobstructed situation and  
SUBSTANTIAL COTTAGE ACCOMMODATION.

27 ACRES of  
RICH ORCHARD LAND,  
possessing a BUILDING ELEMENT of  
CONSIDERABLE IMPORTANCE.

THE LAND is in a flourishing STATE of CULTIVATION, a large sum  
of money having been expended by the owner in trenching and  
planning, etc. WATER being the greatest impediment to  
entirely productive cultivation, the owner has dug a  
TRENCH about two feet deep to a depth of 20ft, and a spring  
of water has broken through.

The position of this property, being so convenient to  
Sydney, renders it in every way suitable for a gentleman to  
combine the pleasure of a rural life with easy access to business in the city.

THE FURNITURE STOCK, etc., may be taken at a  
VALUATION offered by the purchaser.

HARDIE and GORMAN have been favoured with  
the services of the Auctioneers to sell by public auction,  
in the Rooms, 125, Pitt-street, at 11.30 o'clock.

THIS DAY, 17TH APRIL,  
the above-described property.

GLEBE POINT (Water Frontage).

NEWLY-ERECTED SEMI-DETACHED RESIDENCE,  
situated at GLEBE POINT, next to the mansion and  
grounds of A. Thorley, Esq.

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The proprietor's only reason for disposing of this property  
for his family.

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## Funerals.

**THE FRIENDS OF MR. THOMAS FRANCIS** are respectfully invited to attend the Funeral of his beloved Infant DAUGHTER, Lucy Anne, to move from his residence, 45, Reynolds-street, Balmain, THIS Wednesday AFTERNOON at 2 o'clock, at the Chapel of the Holy Angels, 10, Pitt-street, Macquarie-street, Wood and Co., Undertakers, 299, George-st., Sydney.

**THE FRIENDS OF MR. WILLIAM SIMPSON** are respectfully invited to attend the Funeral of his late beloved wife, Mrs. Simpson, to move from her residence, 10, Pitt-street, on THIS Wednesday AFTERNOON, at 2 o'clock, for Presbyterian Cemetery, Newington, 118, Oxford-st., and 255, George-st., opp. Charles Church, Pitt-street.

**THE FRIENDS OF MR. AND MRS. ROBERT THOMAS** are invited to attend the Funeral of their late beloved son, RONALD, to move from their residence, 19, Young-street, Annandale, THIS AFTERNOON, at 2 o'clock, at the Chapel of the Holy Angels, Pitt-street, 118, Oxford-st., and 255, George-st., opp. Charles Church, Pitt-street.

**THE FRIENDS OF MR. AND MRS. ALICE PRITCHARD** are invited to attend the Funeral of their late beloved son, ROBERT, to move from their residence, 19, Young-street, Annandale, THIS AFTERNOON, at 2 o'clock, at the Chapel of the Holy Angels, Pitt-street, 118, Oxford-st., and 255, George-st., opp. Charles Church, Pitt-street.

**THE FRIENDS OF M. MARY GOW** are respectfully invited to attend the Funeral of her late beloved husband, Mr. J. H. Whitehead, Funeral Director, 20, Bond-street, on THIS AFTERNOON, at 2 o'clock, for Petersham Station, 10, Pitt-street.

**THE FRIENDS OF MR. AND MRS. ALICE YORK** are respectfully invited to attend the Funeral of their Friend, Mr. CHARLES ANDERSON, to move from his residence, 62, Washington-street, of Sussex-street, for Waverley Cemetery, THIS DAY, Wednesday, at 2 o'clock.

**THE FRIENDS OF MR. AND MRS. ALICE BURV** are respectfully invited to attend the Funeral of their Friend, Mr. CHARLES ANDERSON, to move from his residence, 62, Washington-street, of Sussex-street, for Waverley Cemetery, THIS DAY, Wednesday, at 2 o'clock.

**THE FRIENDS OF M. BENJAMIN HARRIS** are respectfully invited to attend the Funeral of his late beloved husband, Mr. W. H. Harris, Funeral Director, 20, Bond-street, on THIS AFTERNOON, at 2 o'clock, for Petersham Station, 10, Pitt-street.

**THE FRIENDS OF MRS. H. BLACKHALL** are respectfully invited to attend the Funeral of her late dearly beloved infant NIECE, STELLA, to move from her residence, 10, Pitt-street, on THIS Wednesday AFTERNOON, at half-past 2 o'clock, for Waverley Cemetery, H. MARION, Jun.

**THE FRIENDS OF M. HARRY GRIFFITH** are respectfully invited to attend the Funeral of his late beloved husband, Mr. F. Griffith, Funeral Director, 20, Bond-street, on THIS Wednesday AFTERNOON, at 2 o'clock, for Petersham Station, 10, Pitt-street.

**THE FRIENDS OF MRS. MARY MCDONALD** are respectfully invited to attend the Funeral of her late beloved husband, Mr. J. H. McDonald, to move from his late residence, 21, Thomas-street, Pitt-street, on THIS Wednesday AFTERNOON, at a quarter-past 2, for St. Thomas Cemetery, HIGHLY, Blue's Point-road, St. Leonards.

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**THE FRIENDS OF MRS. H. G. HUNTINGDON** and EDW. DUNN are respectfully invited to attend the Funeral of their late son, BROTHIER-IN-LAW, John McDonald; to move from his late residence, 21, Thomas-street, Pitt-street, on THIS Wednesday AFTERNOON, at 2 o'clock, for St. Thomas Cemetery, HIGHLY, Blue's Point-road, St. Leonards.

**THE FRIENDS OF JOHN AND ELIZABETH PERRY** are respectfully invited to attend the Funeral of their dearly beloved infant JOHN H. E., to move from their residence, 518, Harris-street, Ultimo, to Presbyterian Cemetery, Rockwood.

## Meetings.

**TATTERSALL'S CLUB.** The Annual General MEETING of the Members will be held in the Club Room on FRIDAY, 26th April, at 8 p.m.

**BUSINESS:** To receive Report and Accounts-for-year ended 20th February, 1889. To Elect a Chairman, Treasurer, four Members of Committee, two Auditors, two Editors. And to transact any other business that may be brought before the meeting in accordance with the rules of the club.

By order of the Board, JOHN J. WESTON, Secretary.

Sydney, 11th April, 1889.

**COLONIAL SUGAR-REFINING COMPANY,** Limited.

**NOTICE** is hereby given that the Half-yearly General MEETING of the Proprietors of this Company will be held at 12 o'clock, on TUESDAY, 24th April, at the Office of the Directors, Pitt-street, Sydney, on the 2nd floor of the building in the place of business of the Company, Pitt-street, Sydney.

**ROBERT LUCAS TOOTH, Esq.**, has given the notice required by the Act of Settlement that he is a candidate for re-election as a Director for this Company at the Half-yearly General Meeting convened on TUESDAY, 24th April, 1889.

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**PROPOSED LOOP-LINE THROUGH CANTERBURY.**

**ALL** who are favourable to this most important work being carried out, either by the Government or by private enterprise, are invited to attend a MEETING at Town Hall, Canterbury, on THURSDAY EVENING next, 26th April, at 8 p.m. And to transact any other business that may be brought before the meeting in accordance with the rules of the club.

By order of the Board, J. A. FINCHLEY, Secretary.

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Sydney, 11th April, 1889.

**AUSTRALIAN NATIVE ASSOCIATION.** The Half-yearly General MEETING of the members of this Association will be held on TUESDAY, 24th April, at 12 o'clock, at the Office of the Directors, Pitt-street, Sydney, on the 2nd floor of the building in the place of business of the Company, Pitt-street, Sydney.

**JOHN R. WEBSTER, M.A., King's College, Cambridge, etc.** has given the notice required by the Act of Settlement that he is a candidate for re-election as a Director for this Association at the Half-yearly General Meeting convened on TUESDAY, 24th April, 1889.

**ROBERT LUCAS TOOTH, Esq.**, has given the notice required by the Act of Settlement that he is a candidate for re-election as a Director for this Association at the Half-yearly General Meeting convened on TUESDAY, 24th April, 1889.

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Sydney, 15th April, 1889.

**SOUTH PINNACLE SILVER-MINING COMPANY,** Limited.

**NOTICE** is hereby given that the Adjourned Extraordinary General MEETING of the Company will be held at 11 a.m. on TUESDAY, 24th April, 1889, at the Office of the Directors, Pitt-street, Sydney, for the purpose of considering and, if thought fit, passing an extraordinary resolution.

**RESOLUTION:** "That it has been resolved to the satisfaction of this Company that, inasmuch as, by reason of its liabilities, continue its business, and that it is advisable to wind up the same, and accordingly to pass an ordinary resolution to that effect, and that this resolution be referred to the Directors of the Company, Pitt-street, Sydney, for their consideration and, if they think fit, passing an extraordinary resolution."

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**FOURTH ANNUAL MEETING.**

**I** have the honour to inform you I am a candidate for a seat at your Board at the annual meeting, to be held on 22nd April.

**I** was one of your Directors from 1875 to 1877. I am practically acquainted with the working of the Society. I now offer myself for election at the request of a large number of members, who I trust will be induced to make the best efforts to maintain the prestige the Society has so long enjoyed.

ISAAC ELLIIS IVES.

Age 30, 18th April, 1889.

**TO THE MEMBERS OF THE AUSTRALIAN MUTUAL PROVIDENT SOCIETY.**

**I** have the honour to inform you I am a candidate for a seat at your Board at the annual meeting, to be held on 22nd April.

**I** have for many years taken a deep interest in the growth and welfare of the Society, and have made many contributions advanced your interests to the best of my ability.

Bolting the favour of your vote,

Ladies and Gentlemen,

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ALFRED W. SEKKE.

(Gibbs, Bright, and Co.)

Sydney, 20th March, 1889.

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